## HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 415 By Shepard

A RESOLUTION to honor the town of Burns, Tennessee, on its 50<sup>th</sup> anniversary celebration.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that this General Assembly should pause in its deliberations to join with the citizens of the cities and counties that comprise this great State in celebrating joyous and historic occasions; and

WHEREAS, the citizens of Burns are most assuredly deserving of special recognition, as they will soon commemorate the town's 50<sup>th</sup> anniversary; and

WHEREAS, the community of Burns officially became a town on March 24, 1953, as Governor Frank Clement signed into law Chapter 193 of the Private Acts of 1953 as passed by the General Assembly of the State of Tennessee upon the request of Representative Littleton; and

WHEREAS, the town's first Board of Commissioners was composed of Chairman A.E. Lampley, C.L. Dysinger, H.J. Tidwell, W.M. Bishop and Marshall S. Stuart; and

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WHEREAS, these fine leaders ably facilitated the town's growth, guiding its citizens and business owners toward the economic and cultural prosperity enjoyed by its residents today; and

WHEREAS, the town of Burns is one of the great municipalities in Tennessee and has been a catalyst for positive change in our State and nation throughout its illustrious existence; and

WHEREAS, it is appropriate that the members of this legislative body should honor this fine municipality and its citizenry as they commemorate this significant milestone in their historic existence; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE SENATE CONCURRING, that we hereby honor and congratulate the citizens of the town of Burns upon the celebration of their 50<sup>th</sup> anniversary, wishing them many more prosperous years as a community.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.

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